

City of Cambridge Department of Human Service Programs Cambridge Youth Programs 2016 Summer Opportunities



Discovery Program

@ Russell/West Cambridge Youth Center

The Girls in Power Program

@Frisoli Youth Center

Gately Summer Program

@Gately Youth Center

Sports Leadership Academy

@Moses Youth Center (formerly Area IV) HEW!

Mission Possible: Solve it!

@Moore Youth Center



The **Mission Possible:** Solve it! is a pilot program for rising 6th, 7th, 8th graders who have been enrolled in CPSD Math Summer Enrichment programs at the Putnam Avenue Upper School. We will start the program a week before the CPSD programs and continue a week after. Our day will begin at PAUS and afternoons will consist of: lunch followed by hands on interactive, fun activities to develop leadership and pre-workforce skills, experiential learning, exploring local college campuses, identifying interesting ways people use math in every life and at work.

The **Discovery Program** is for rising 4th-8th graders will take place in our state-of-the art facility and provide opportunities for youth to develop a wide range of interests and to express themselves through performing and visual arts, science exploration, sports and other fun activities. Youth participate in a variety of classes that are designed for all skill levels and focus on mastery of new skills. Middle school students interested in applying for City Sprouts as an activity are eligible to earn a \$100 stipend.

The Girls in Power Program is for rising 4th-8th graders young women to explore a host of enriching activities including volleyball, self-defense, tennis, swimming, arts, science and other academic areas, field trips and more. The curriculum is designed to build the confidence and self-esteem of the young women in the program and build community.

The **Gately Summer Program** Designed especially for youth entering 6th, 7th or 8th grades. (There are a limited # of spaces for currently enrolled Gately Members who are rising 5th graders). The program offers a variety of fun and enriching activities ranging from sports and arts instruction to creating and teaching workshops to peers and younger youth. Healthy living and leadership development are central themes in the curriculum. Middle school students interested in applying for City Sprouts as an activity are eligible to earn a \$100 stipend.

The **Sports Leadership Program** is for rising 4th-8th grade boys and girls interested in learning and practicing leadership skills, and playing sports for the summer. Each young person will participate in soccer, basketball, swimming, tennis, and more. The daily schedule is a physically active combination of fitness activities with specific sports clinics and instruction and friendly competition. We focus on athletics, good health, enrichment, leadership and sportsmanship.

When: June 27th – August 19th **Time:** 8:30 am - 6:00 pm

Fee: \$125.00* per week (13 & 14 year olds are free!) Financial aid is available for those who qualify

Discounted rate for Solve it and City Sprouts at Discovery and Gately: \$60 per week for 11 & 12 year olds. Financial Aid is available. 13 & 14 year olds are free!

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Cambridge Youth Programs 2016 Summer Work & Learning Internships for Teens



CYP has many meaningful paid summer internships for teens!

Boys II Men

Leaders in Action

City Peace

@ Moses Youth Center

@ Frisoli Youth Center

@ Moore Youth Center

(formerly Area IV)

My City, My Voice!

Girls Taking Action

@ Gately Youth Center

@ Russell Youth Center

The **Boys II Men Program** is an established program for young men looking to develop good-decision making and leadership skills. The program encourages young men to become positive, engaged citizens by introducing them to mentors, and using personal development, reflection and career awareness activities. The use of media critiques encourage analysis of popular culture

The Leaders in Action Program is designed to develop the leadership skill of teens. Participants work with their peers to take responsibility for making positive changes within their community. Youth choose a topic to explore and develop a programmatic response to it. This summer's project is focused on documenting the history of East Cambridge.

City Peace is a violence prevention and youth leadership program for Cambridge teens. Participants learn about conflict resolution, community issues, facilitation and mediation while working with their peers to develop and deliver a legacy project on violence prevention for the community.

My City, My voice teens explore their city and their personal voice through the development of art projects throughout the summer. Participants will create and deliver public art pieces to be performed throughout the city.

Girls Taking Action is for young women looking to play a leadership role in our community. The program encourages young women to become active citizens by introducing them to service learning, personal development and career awareness activities.

Who: 14- 18 year old Cambridge Residents

When: July 5th – August 12th

How: To work in a daytime program, you must apply through the Mayor's Summer Youth Employment Program.

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